

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 05725.0505-00

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of:	
David W. CANNELL et al.	Group Art Unit: 1751
Application No.: 09/838,197	) Examiner: E. Elhilo
Filed: April 20, 2001	) )
For: COMPOSITION AND METHODS FOR LANTHIONIZING KERATIN FIBERS USING AT LEAST ONE ORGANIC NUCLEOPHILE AND AT LEAST ONE HYDROXIDE ION GENERATOR	Confirmation No.: 1548 ) ) )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of April 20, 2006. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 20, 2006

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